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Title : BLAST FURNACE COKE HAVING HIGH
: REACTIVITY AND HIGH STRENGTH AND
: METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME

Dated: October 29, 2004

Amendment

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated August 17, 2004, Applicants amend the Application as follows:



Attorney Docket No.: 1205-01

In re Application of Koji Hanaoka et al.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
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